

PARKER'S GHOST APPEARS WITH CHANLER BOOM

Democrats Do Not Like Prospects of Eastern Man's Candidacy.

Alton B. Parker's ghost is visiting the Democratic party, and a large part of the party dislikes the visit.

From all sections of the country comes the cry that the "boom" of Lieutenant Governor Chanler of New York, for the Presidency is being fathered by the men who supported Parker and followed him to his spectacular defeat in 1904.

When the talk of Chanler for the Presidency burst upon the country, a few months ago, through the columns of many of the newspapers of the country, Democrats, especially those in the West and South, began to ask what it all meant. They had no idea that Chanler was the man on whom the toga should fall.

Say Secret Is Solved.

Now, say some of the prophets, the secret is solved. Democracy is being true to itself once more. While the greater part of the country is discussing whether Bryan or Johnson of Minnesota should have the nomination, the New York end of the organization is out with Chanler, who is understood to represent the very men who put up Parker.

Inquiry among representative Democrats discloses their belief that Chanler has not the slightest chance in the world for the nomination at the hands of the Democratic convention. They are disposed to deplore the agitation in his behalf, claiming that it can do nothing but cloud the wisdom of the party in making its final selection between Bryan and Johnson. Once the cry followed the cry from New York for "conservatism," "safe and sane policies," and an Eastern man. Now the party wants a man who has other means than an abstraction for getting votes.

Blames It on Press Agent.

One of these dissatisfied Democrats said today: "I have noticed a lot in the newspapers about this man Chanler, but I have not noticed that much of it has been attached to men of weight and importance in the councils of the party. That, in itself, is a significant fact. The Chanler boom, if we may call it such, seems to be the product of press agents' brains as much as anything else. On the face of it, Chanler's chances are so slim as to call for no publicity at all."

While a majority of the Democrats who discuss the situation these days come out in favor of Chanler, the President, there is a sure and strong current turning toward Johnson, the Governor of Minnesota. Many big Democrats recognize his personality as one that will get votes as soon as the public becomes acquainted with it. He has no past to overcome in his race for the White House. Everything in his past counts rather to his gain and advantage.

Parker Faction Has No Weight.

That Parker will have no weight in the next national convention is an assured thing. That the men who supported him will not have much more, is equally assured. The Democrats who met the defeat that came to them in 1904 will steer clear of the people who helped to bring it on.

It is now widely believed, Chanler is the impersonation of the Parker movement of four years ago, he is already on the losing ground.

AUDUBON SOCIETY TO MEET AT ZOO

The Audubon Society of the District of Columbia will hold its next meeting of the season at the Zoo tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock. The members of the society and their friends will meet at the Bird House, through which they will be conducted and introduced to the many different species of birds gathered there. The guides will be Henry Oldie and Nelson Woods of the Biological Survey, and Frank Bond, chairman of the executive committee.

OLD-TIME CELEBRATION FOR NEXT JULY FOURTH

If plans being formulated by active members of the United States Historical Society are perfected and carried out, the National Capital will see, July next, a celebration of Independence Day similar to the earlier history of the country, when patriotic citizens enthusiastically participated in its observance.

A committee consisting of former Senator Thurston, Public Printer Stillings, Col. Edgar Rogers, Auditor of the United States Treasury Andrews, George S. Benson, J. Walter Mitchell, and M. A. Winter, have the matter in charge.

A military display in colonial uniforms, speeches, a tableau, sham battle, and fireworks on the White Lot, are planned. The Board of Trade, Chamber of Commerce, the Commissioners, Citizens' Association, and others, will be asked to participate.

ARMY COST \$30,449,793.70, SAYS REPORT OF PAYMASTER

The annual report of C. C. Shiffen, paymaster general of the army, shows that the sum of \$30,449,793.70 was expended last year for the pay of the army; \$304,143.42 for mileage, \$15,061.88 for the War College, \$425,088.50 on account of the Military Academy, and \$182,307.27. A recommendation is made for an increase of pay of clerks in the paymaster general's office and advocates retirement on pay.

JUDGE AND A HOG: A STUDY



WAGE WAR OVER END-SEAT HOG

John Wryrich and James L. Pugh Fearless Over the Result.

Around the corpulent body of that being who has been alternately cursed and commended for so long, the "end-seat hog," a fierce battle now wages. His supporters are flocking around him, eager to utter words of praise after the decision of Judge Mulwiny, in the Police Court yesterday, to the effect that the "end-seat hog" has an unalienable right to cling to the outside of the car, should he be so disposed.

On the other hand, a small band of men, determined and strong, denounce him under certain circumstances, saying he should always be prepared to move when an elderly lady or stout gentleman climbs into the seat. The question has aroused debate, and many are trying to discover whether an "end-seat hog" is an "end-seat hog" or not.

Two fearless Police Court attorneys, John Wryrich, who assists in Mr. Given's office, and James L. Pugh, assistant corporation counsel, offer opinions which, although somewhat vague and chaotic, tend to show their support of the court's decision.

Fifty-seven varieties of Opinions. Attorney W. J. Lambert is unquestionably and entirely in favor of the "end-seat hog." Judge Bundy leans toward conservatism, but is rather severe with the individual under discussion, when he requires stout old ladies and gouty old gentlemen to climb laboriously over his unrelenting knees. Commissioner West declares that the whole matter lies in the individual bosom of the multitude of porcines, and Major Sylvester sums up the whole matter with the little aphorism, "First come, first served."

TRIPLE TRAGEDY ENACTED: WOMAN WOULDN'T ELOPE

CLEVELAND, Oct. 23.—What will result in a triple tragedy was enacted in a house of Buckeye road last night. Two men are dead, and a woman, the wife of one of the men, is fatally wounded.

One of the dead is the triple slayer—Michael Szekely, twenty-four years old.

The assassin committed the deed after the woman had refused to leave her husband and elope with him.

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WIFE GIVEN \$10,000 FOR HUSBAND'S LOVE

Ten thousand dollars has been awarded by a jury in the circuit court of Upper Marlboro, Md., to Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, of Bradley Beach, N. J., in her suit against Mrs. Florine H. Hillers, of Prince George's county, in which she charged Mrs. Hillers with alienating the affections of her husband, Albert A. Taylor, president of the Contee Sand and Gravel Company, of which Mrs. Hillers is secretary. Considerable testimony of a sensational character was introduced in the case, which was on trial before Judge George C. Merrick.

Mrs. Taylor testified that her husband became interested in valuable sand and gravel deposits owned by Mrs. Hillers and invested a considerable sum in their development, residing for a time in Mrs. Hillers' home. Taylor, she said, drew up a paper purporting to adopt Mrs. Hillers as his daughter. The husband of Mrs. Hillers, it was shown, then took a hand in the affair, and after chasing Taylor and Mrs. Hillers into the woods with a shotgun, left his home. A stepchild of Mrs. Hillers testified that she had heard her address Mr. Taylor in terms of endearment and had seen her embrace him on several occasions.

All of these allegations were denied by Mrs. Hillers, who maintained that Taylor and looked upon him as a father.

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2x5 yards	\$9.50	\$6.25
2x6 yards	\$11.00	\$7.25
2x7 yards	\$12.50	\$8.25
2x8 yards	\$14.00	\$9.25
2x9 yards	\$15.50	\$10.25
2x10 yards	\$17.00	\$11.25
2x11 yards	\$18.50	\$12.25
2x12 yards	\$20.00	\$13.25
2x13 yards	\$21.50	\$14.25
2x14 yards	\$23.00	\$15.25
2x15 yards	\$24.50	\$16.25
2x16 yards	\$26.00	\$17.25
2x17 yards	\$27.50	\$18.25
2x18 yards	\$29.00	\$19.25
2x19 yards	\$30.50	\$20.25
2x20 yards	\$32.00	\$21.25
2x21 yards	\$33.50	\$22.25
2x22 yards	\$35.00	\$23.25
2x23 yards	\$36.50	\$24.25
2x24 yards	\$38.00	\$25.25
2x25 yards	\$39.50	\$26.25
2x26 yards	\$41.00	\$27.25
2x27 yards	\$42.50	\$28.25
2x28 yards	\$44.00	\$29.25
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2x60 yards	\$92.00	\$61.25
2x61 yards	\$93.50	\$62.25
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BOY AND \$6,500 VANISH TOGETHER

Messenger Cashed Check on Knickerbocker Trust and Never Returned.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Scores of detectives are today searching for Philip Sapperstein, a Western Union messenger boy, who mysteriously disappeared with \$6,500 from the Day and Night Bank. Sapperstein, who is seventeen years old, was called to the bank to go to the Knickerbocker Trust Company to cash a check for \$6,500. He took the paper and cashed it, but failed to return with the funds.

The police do not believe that the young man has been able to leave the city, and are of the opinion that he is hiding somewhere on the lower East Side, where it is said a young girl in whom he is interested lives.

"FEMALE BARITONE" BEATS UP MASHERS

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 23.—Miss Dolline Cole, advertised as the "famous female baritone" and now appearing at the Chutes Theater, beat into a state of limps one Joseph Lawrence, a barber, employed at the Sunrise shop, 256 South Main street.

Then Miss Cole concluded by throwing at Lawrence nearly all the cold cream and hair tonic in the shop.

Miss Cole, whose home name is Mrs. Robert Warwick, was walking on Main street to see a booking agent. She was accosted, she says, by Lawrence. She ignored him.

A woman of Miss Cole's acquaintance told her that Lawrence had been making disparaging remarks about her. Miss Cole called at the Sunrise shop and asked Lawrence: "Are you not the person who a few days ago invited me to go out and have a good time with you?"

Lawrence gave the visitor a smile and word of assurance that she was correct. "Take that," said Miss Cole, and she hit him on the nose with her doubled fist. Then she struck him two more blows.

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"What would you suggest?"
"I would suggest that the words be 'George, to his first and only love.' You see, with that inscription you can use the ring half a dozen times. I have had experience in such matters myself."—Philadelphia Press.

BALLOONING RECORDS.

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PHYSICIANS MULCTED; ADJUDGED WOMAN INSANE

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—A verdict of \$25,000 was awarded today by the jury that has been hearing the suit of Mrs. Ellen E. Kenyon-Warner, a celebrated writer on educational subjects, against Dr. Flavius Packer and Dr. Sidney D. Wilgus, for \$50,000 damages, because they adjudged her insane, and caused her commitment to the Middletown Insane Asylum.

Mrs. Warner, the jury found, was sane on July 13, 1904, when she was examined by the two alienists, and that they were negligent in making their examination. Counsel for Mrs. Warner decried the verdict as undoubtedly a "lawmaker," and would have great effect upon insanity cases in this State. It was the first case of the kind ever tried in New York.



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